

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

*Plaintiff,*

v.

GREG ABBOTT, in his capacity as  
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
and THE STATE OF TEXAS,

*Defendants.*

Case No. 1:23-cv-00853-DAE

**ORDER GRANTING LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINT**

The Court, upon consideration of Plaintiffs' Consent Motion for Leave to Amend Its Complaint (Dkt. # 58), hereby **ORDERS** that the foregoing motion is **GRANTED**. It is hereby **ORDERED** that Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint is deemed filed. It is **ORDERED** that Defendants shall file their answer or other responsive pleading to Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint by **no later than 44 days** after service of Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint.

**SO ORDERED,**

Date: October 23, 2023



David Alan Ezra  
Senior United States District Judge